

Podcast Transcript

Topic: Guide to U.S. Mission Nigeria's Expanded DHL Drop Box Visa Renewal Program.

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Opening Narration: The United States Mission to Nigeria has announced an expanded DHL Drop Box Visa Renewal Program beginning this month. I have a Consular Officer with me today to guide us through the process, which can allow visa applicants in Nigeria, to renew their visas without attending an interview.

Question: How does the expanded Drop Box Visa Renewal Program work?

CONS: This program allows certain visa applicants who have previously been issued U.S. visas to renew their visas without attending an interview.

Question: What are the criteria for this program?

CONS: Applicants must satisfy all of the criteria for their visa class. To learn more about how to use the expanded DHL Drop Box Program to renew a B1/B2, F, L, or H visa, please read the instructions on the U.S. Embassy Nigeria website at http://nigeria.usembassy.gov/niv_dropbox.html

Question: How can I apply to use the expanded DHL Drop Box Visa Renewal Program?

CONS: Visa applicants, who satisfy the criteria for their visa class, should follow the visa application instructions on the U.S. Embassy Nigeria website at

http://nigeria.usembassy.gov/niv_appointment_instructions.html.

The CGI visa appointment website will ask applicants a series of questions reflecting the criteria for the DHL Drop Box Visa Renewal Program. Qualifying applicants will be prompted to print a letter confirming their eligibility for the program and instructing them to drop off the letter with their passport, application confirmation sheet, passport photos, visa fee receipt, and appropriate forms to one of the DHL facilities in Abuja or Lagos. The application packets are adjudicated and returned to the applicant's selected DHL location within 7-10 business days.

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